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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Tetsujiro Kondo et al.
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For : DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING IMAGE SIGNAL,
PROGRAM FOR PERFORMING THE METHOD, AND
COMPUTER-READABLE MEDIUM FOR RECORDING THE
PROGRAM

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to the initial examination of the above-identified
application, Applicant respectfully requests that the
application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this
Amendment.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of

claims that begins on page 4 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 13 of this Amendment.